Subject: Cedillo Secures Resources for NELA Homeless Shelter

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Friends,

We have good news to report. Thanks to our advocacy, LAHSA has agreed to work with our office to approve All Saints Episcopal Church as a winter shelter. After receiving this news, I immediately introduced a motion to place the site on the winter shelter list, securing protections under the shelter crisis. This will allow them to access LAHSA funds and operate through the winter season. It was approved by Council today.

I'd like to thank my colleague Councilmember Jose Huizar for graciously donating \$20,000 from his discretionary funds to help the shelter continue its work.

The City Council also approved a motion I authored, which asks the Department of Recreation and Parks to immediately open the Bridewell Armory as a winter shelter.

Best,

Gilbert Cedillo Councilmember, First District

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